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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

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Application No.: 09/433,543

Filed: November 3, 1999

For: **AN IMPROVED SYNTHETIC PANEL AND  
METHOD**

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**AUTHORIZATION FOR PAYMENT OF  
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Sir:

Pursuant to filing a Terminal Disclaimer, Applicant hereby authorizes payment of the statutory disclaimer fee, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.20(d), of \$110.00 by charging the fee to Deposit Account No. 20-1430. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to the above Deposit Account. This Petition is submitted in triplicate.

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